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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING,

SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND VARIANCE -

NE/S York Road at Howard Avenue *

(1705 York Road)

8th Election District

3rd Councilmanic District

1705 York Road. LLC

Petitioners

* BEFORE THE

* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

* Case No. 96-193-SPHXA

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FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner as Petitions for Special Hearing, Special Exception and Variance for that property known as 1705 York Road, located in the vicinity of Howard Avenue in The Petitions were filed by the owner of the property, 1705 Lutherville. York Road, LLC, by Lawrence Thaner, Managing Member, and the Contract Purchaser/Lessee. National Tire Warehouse, by David Lawrence, Manager, through their attorney, Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. The Petitioners seek approval of a use permit for parking in a residential zone and a special exception for a service garage in a B.L. zone, pursuant to Section 230.13 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), and variance relief as follows: From Sections 232.1 and 303.2 to permit a front yard setback of 56 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet, and from Section 1B01.1B.1.c.2, e.3 and e.5 to permit Residential Transition Area (RTA) setbacks of 0 feet on the north side and 17 feet on the south side, in lieu of the required 75 feet and 50 feet, respectively. The subject property and relief requested are more particularly described on the site plan submitted and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the hearing on behalf of the Petition were David
Lawrence, a representative of National Tire Warehouse, Contract Purchaser/
Lessee, William P. Monk, Landscape Planning and Zoning Consultant, Ted

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Britt, and Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire, attorney for the Petitioners. John Austin, Esquire, appeared and testified on behalf of the York Manor Improvement Association, a Protestant in the matter.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject property consists of a gross area of 1.53 acres, more or less, split zoned B.L. and D.R. 5.5, and is improved with greenhouses and accessory buildings previously used in the operation of a florist shop. The split zoning of the property is significant in that the front portion of the site along York Road is zoned B.L. with the rear of the site zoned D.R. 5.5. The Petitioners propose to utilize the subject property as a retail tire sales and service garage for the national retail tire chain known as National Tire Warehouse. Proposed improvements to the site include removing the existing structures and constructing a one-story building to house the proposed The Petitioners submitted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibits 1 and 2, site plans of the property showing the proposed improvements and a prototype of the National Tire Warehouse (NTW) building. NTW has opened several other retail tire stores/service garages in and around Baltimore County and intend to utilize a similar prototype building at the subject Due to the rectangular shape of the lot and its split zoning, location. the proposed building will utilize most of the area towards the front of the site zoned B.L., and parking will be to the rear of the property, which is zoned D.R. 5.5. Thus, the relief requested is necessary in order to proceed as proposed.

At the preliminary stage of the public hearing, Mr. Hoffman and Mr. Austin, on behalf of the York Manor Improvement Association, stated that both parties had reached an agreement concerning the proposed development of the subject site by NTW, except for the relocation of the parking

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spaces originally proposed to front Howard Avenue and a dumpster pad to the rear of the site. The terms of the agreement that were reached between NTW and the surrounding neighborhood shall be contained within the conditions and restrictions imposed at the end of this Order.

At the close of the hearing on December 12, 1995, Mr. Hoffman, behalf of NTW, and Mr. Austin on behalf of his clients, agreed to continue negotiations to resolve all outstanding issues regarding the proposed NTW retail sales and service garage. After discussions between the parties, Mr. Hoffman submitted to me, by letter dated February 13, 1996, a revised site plan, marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 3, depicting the final agreement between the parties, except for the placement of 6 of the 12 parking spaces and dumpster pad. NTW agreed to eliminate the 12 parking spaces which were originally proposed to front Howard Avenue, and proposed to relocate 6 of those spaces and the dumpster pad to the rear of the site in the D.R. 5.5 This would allow the proposed building to be shifted further away from the residential properties abutting this site on the south side. Furthermore, inasmuch as the number of parking spaces to be provided by far exceeded that required, NTW agreed that only 6 of the 12 parking spaces proposed to be relocated would be replaced. By letter dated February 20, 1996, Mr. Austin advised this office that he agreed with the terms expressed in Mr. Hoffman's letter of February 13, 1996, except for the placement of the 6 spaces and dumpster pad to the rear of the site in the D.R. 5.5 zone. It was further requested that the 6 parking spaces not be approved, inasmuch as NTW will have ample parking at this site.

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, it is clear that practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship would result if the relief requested in the special hearing were not granted. It

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has been established that the requirements from which the Petitioner seeks relief would unduly restrict the use of the land due to the special conditions unique to this particular parcel. In addition, the relief requested will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, and general welfare. However, given the fact that NTW will be able to provide adequate parking for the use proposed on this site, I am persuaded to grant the request set forth in Mr. Austin's letter of February 20, 1996. Therefore, the 6 parking spaces and dumpster pad which were proposed to be relocated to the rear of this site in the D.R. 5.5 zone shall be eliminated from the plan, and the Petitioners shall submit a plan showing the proposed relocation of the dumpster to the Office of Planning and Zoning for review and approval prior to the issuance of any permits.

As to the special exception relief sought, it is clear that the B.C.Z.R. permits the use proposed in a B.L./D.R. 5.5 zone by special It is equally clear that the proposed use would not be detriexception. mental to the primary uses in the vicinity. Therefore, it must be determined if the conditions as delineated in Section 502.1 are satisfied.

The Petitioner had the burden of adducing testimony and evidence which would show that the proposed use met the prescribed standards and requirements set forth in Section 502.1 of the B.C.Z.R. The Petitioner has shown that the proposed use would be conducted without real detriment to the neighborhood and would not adversely affect the public interest. The facts and circumstances do not show that the proposed use at the particular location described by Petitioner's Exhibit 1 would have any adverse impact above and beyond that inherently associated with such a speexception use, irrespective of its location within the zone. cial Schultz v. Pritts, 432 A.2d 1319 (1981).

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The proposed use will not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the locality, nor tend to create congestion in roads, streets, or alleys therein, nor be inconsistent with the purposes of the property's zoning classification, nor in any other way be inconsistent with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

After reviewing all of the testimony and evidence presented, it appears that the special exception should be granted with certain restrictions as more fully described at the end of this Order.

An area variance may be granted where strict application of the zoning regulations would cause practical difficulty to the Petitioner and his property. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973). To prove practical difficulty for an area variance, the Petitioner must meet the following:

- 1) whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for a permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily burdensome;
- 2) whether a grant of the variance would do a substantial justice to the applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give sufficient relief; and,
- 3) whether relief can be granted in such fashion that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and public safety and welfare secured.

Anderson v. Bd. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28 (1974).

It is clear from the testimony that if the variance is granted, such use, as proposed, will not be contrary to the spirit of the B.C.Z.R. and will not result in any injury to the public good.

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if the variance relief were not granted. It has been established that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of this request and that the requirements from which the Petitioner seeks relief will unduly restrict the use of the land due to the special conditions unique to this particular parcel. In addition, the relief requested will not cause any injury to the public health, safety or general welfare and is in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested, as modified herein, should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 36% day of February, 1996, that the Petition for Special Hearing seeking approval of a use permit for parking in a residential zone, be and is hereby GRANTED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Special Exception to permit a service garage in a B.L. zone, pursuant to Section 230.13 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 3, be and is hereby GRANTED; and,

relief as follows: From Sections 232.1 and 303.2 to permit a front yard setback of 56 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet, and from Section 1B01.1B.1.c.2, e.3 and e.5 to permit Residential Transition Area (RTA) setbacks of 0 feet on the north side and 17 feet on the south side, in lieu of the required 75 feet and 50 feet, respectively, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 3, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:



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- 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until such time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the relief granted herein shall be rescinded.
- 2) Within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order, Petitioners shall submit a revised site plan depicting the modified parking agreement which eliminates the six (6) parking spaces that were to be relocated to the rear of this site. Furthermore, the Petitioners shall submit a plan showing the proposed location of the dumpster to the Office of Planning and Zoning for review and approval, prior to the issuance of any building permits.
- 3) The special exception relief granted herein is limited to the B.L. zoned portion of the site. There shall be no expansion of this special exception into the D.R. 5.5 zoned portion of the site.
- 4) All lighting for the subject site shall be as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 3. The light standards shall contain the shoe-box type of lighting shades and shall be illuminated Monday through Saturday, from 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM, only. From 9:00 PM until sunrise daily, NTW shall only utilize security lighting to illuminate the property as is appropriate for security purposes.
- 5) Any and all alarms or bells which shall be installed on the building itself shall be oriented towards York Road so as not to impose upon the quiet enjoyment of the surrounding residential community.
- 6) The residential zoned portion of the site located to the rear of the property behind the parking area shall remain undeveloped in its natural state, with the exception of the additional screening and landscaping which is to be installed by the Petitioner.
- 7) The Petitioner shall replace the existing wood fence with a new wood fence, and shall maintain same in good condition.
- 8) The identification sign for NTW shall be as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 1, and shall be similar to the sign which is presently used to identify the NTW store on Reisterstown Road. There shall be no temporary banners or inflatable promotional devices used at the subject site, except for a two-week period during NTW's grand opening.



- 9) All tires, both new and used, shall be stored within the building itself. No tires shall be permitted to be stored outside on the property.
- 10) The height of the NTW building is limited to 18'10" and the landscaping proposed along the south and east property lines shall be Leland Cypress and evergreens as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 3.
- 11) All deliveries to and from NTW shall be made during regular business hours. Furthermore, all trash removal from the subject site shall be done during regular business hours.
- 12) The parking spaces located to the rear of the subject property in the D.R. 5.5 zoned portion of the site, shall be utilized for parking by NTW employees and customers, only, and shall not be used for any other purpose.
- 13) When applying for any permits, the site plan and/ or landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

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Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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AMENDED ORDER

WHEREAS, this matter came before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner as Petitions for Special Hearing, Special Exception and Variances for a service garage on the subject property in accordance with the site plan submitted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

WHEREAS, the relief was granted, subject to certain conditions and restrictions, by Order issued February 26, 1996.

Subsequent to the issuance of said Order, Counsel for the Petitioners advised this Office of a discrepancy in Restriction No. 4 concerning the hours that lighting on the subject property can be provided, and requested a modification thereof.

After due consideration of their request for modification, it appears that Restriction No. 4 should be modified and I shall so Order.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 28 day of February, 1996 that the Order issued February 26, 1996 should be AMENDED to modify Restriction No. 4 as follows:

"4) All lighting for the subject site shall be as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 3. The light standards shall contain the shoe-box type of lighting shades. After 9:00 PM until sunrise, NTW shall only utilize security lighting to illuminate the property as is appropriate for security purposes."

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all other terms and conditions of the Order issued February 26, 1996 shall remain in full force and effect.

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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cc: Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire

Venable, Baetjer & Howard, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson, Md. 21204

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Mr. William P. Monk, 222 Bosley Avenue, Towson, Md. 21204

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Suite 112 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

February 26, 1996

(410) 887-4386

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NE/S York Road at Howard Avenue
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1705 York Road, LLC - Petitioners
Case No. 96-193-SPHXA

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petitions for Special Hearing, Special Exception and Variance have been granted in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact the Zoning Administration and Development Management office at 887-3391.

Very truly yours,

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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And Special Hearing



Petition for Special Exception

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at

1705 York Road, Lutherville, MD 21093

which is presently zoned

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This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zoning Administration & Development Management.

The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Special Exception under the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to use the herein described property for

a service garage in a BL zone pursuant to Section 230.13 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations.

And a special hearing to approve a use permit for parking in a residential zone.

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations.

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Exception advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

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This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zoning Administration & Development Management.

The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s)

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of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the Zoning Law of Baltimore County; for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or practical difficulty)

To be determined at hearing.

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations.

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- Variance from Section 2B01.1(B)(1)(c)(2) and (e)(3) and (e)(5) to permit RTA setbacks of 0' on the north side of the property and 17' on the south side in lieu of the required 75' and 50' setbacks respectively. В. the required 75' and 50' setbacks respectively.

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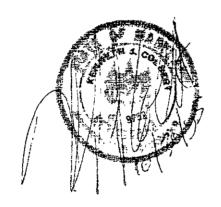
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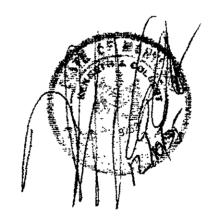
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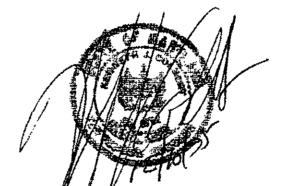
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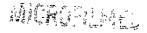
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NOTICE OF HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Batimore County by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Batimore County will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in Room 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake. Avenue in Towson, Maryland 21204 or Room 118. Old Courthouse, 400 Wastington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 as follows:

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NE/S York road, 300' NW of c/l Haddington Road

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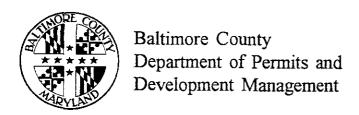
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ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

November 16, 1995

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore
County, will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in
Room 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue in Towson, Maryland 21204

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Room 118, 9ld Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 as follows:

CASE NUMBER: 96-193-SPHXA (Item 188)

1705 York Road

NE/S York road, 300' NW of c/l Haddington Road

8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic

Legal Owner: 1705 York Road, LLC

Contract Purchaser/Lessee: National Tire Warehouse

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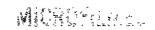
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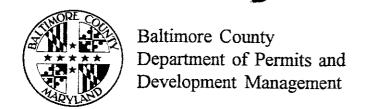
Arnold Jablon Director

cc: 1705 York Road, LLC
National Tire Warehouse
Robert A. Hoffman, Esq.

NOTES: (1) ZONING SIGN & POST MUST BE RETURNED TO RM. 104, 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE ON THE HEARING DATE.

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Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

December 4, 1995

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Venable, Baetjer and Howard, LLP 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204

RE: Item No.: 188

Case No.: 96-193-SPHXA

Petitioner: 1705 York Rd., Inc.

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC), which consists of representatives from Baltimore County approval agencies, has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition, which was accepted for processing by Permits and Development Management (PDM), Zoning Review, on November 1 1995.

Any comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition are attached. These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties (zoning commissioner, attorney, petitioner, etc.) are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case. Only those comments that are informative will be forwarded to you; those that are not informative will be placed in the permanent case file.

If you need further information or have any questions regarding these comments, please do not hesitate to contact the commenting agency or Joyce Watson in the zoning office (887-3391).

Sincerely,

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Zoning Supervisor

WCR/jw
Attachment(s)

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director DATE: Nov. 21, 1995 Zoning Administration and Development Management

FROM Robert W. Bowling, P.E., Chief Development Plans Review Division

RE:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting for November 21, 1995 Item No. 188

The Development Plans Review Division has reviewed the subject zoning item. All improvements, intersections, entrances, drainage requirements and construction affecting a State Road right-of-way are subject to the standards, specifications and approval of the Maryland State Highway Administration, in addition to those of Baltimore County.

The proposed entrance will be constructed per Dept. of Public Works Road and Street Detail Standard Plate R-32, Single Commercial Entrance.

This proposal is subject to the Landscape Manual. The Special Exception requires that a schematic landscape plan be submitted at this time. The submitted building and parking lot layout generally conforms with the setback requirements of the Landscape Manual in the B.L. portion of the site. The D.R. 5.5 portion of the site must provide 7% interior landscape area in the parking lot.

It is recommended that the ten (10) parking spaces along Howard Avenue be eliminated.

RWB:sw

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon,	Director, PDM	DATE:	November	21,	1995	
FROM: Pat Keller, 1	Director, OP					
SUBJECT: 1705 York	Road					
INFORMATION:						
Item Number:	188					
Petitioner:	1705 York Road, Inc.				 -	
Property Size:					_	
Zoning:	BL and DR-5.5		************		_	
Requested Action:	Special Exception and Variance					
Hearing Date:					-	
SUMMARY OF RECOMMEN	DATIONS:					
The applicant's representatives met with staff both prior and subsequent to the filing of the subject request. In addition, these representatives also met with members of the York Manor Improvement Association to discuss the proposed improvements to Petitioner's site. The applicant's willingness to meet with the community and staff is appreciated.						
<u>-</u>	of the information provided, this subject to the following conditions		recommend	s tha	at the	
1) A landscape plan should be submitted to the Landscape Planner for review and approval.						
2) No improvements (other than landscaping) should be permitted within the area					area	

of the plan designated as the RTA buffer

PK/JL

Baltimore County Government Fire Department



700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21286-5500

(410) 887-4500

DATE: 11/15/95

Arnold Jablon
Director
Zoning Administration and
Development Management
Baltimore County Office Building
Towson, MD 21204
MAIL STOP-1105

RE: Property Owner: NATIONAL TIRE WAREHOUSE

LOCATION: NE/S YORK RD., 300' NW OF CENTERLINE HADDINGTON RD.

(1705 YDRK RD.)

Item No.: 188 Zoning Agenda: SPECIAL HEARING

SPECIAL EXCEPTION/VARIANCE

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property.

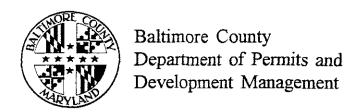
- 4. The site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the Fire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or beginning of operation.
- 5. The buildings and structures existing or proposed on the site shall comply with all applicable requirements of the National Fire Protection Association Standard No. 101 "Life Safety Code", 1991 edition prior to occupancy.

REVIEWER: LT. ROBERT P. SAUERWALD

Fire Marshal Office, PHONE 887-4881, MS-1102F

cc: File

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PDM



Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

November 16, 1995

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Venable, Baetjer, and Howard 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204

96-193-5PH A

RE: Preliminary Petition Review (Item #188)

Legal Owner: 1705 York Road, LLC

1705 York Road 8th Election District

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

At the request of the attorney/petitioner, the above referenced petition was accepted for filing without a final filing review by the staff. The plan was accepted with the understanding that all zoning issues/filing requirements would be addressed. A subsequent review by the staff has revealed unaddressed zoning issues and/or incomplete information. The following comments are advisory and do not necessarily identify all details and inherent technical zoning requirements necessary for a complete application. As with all petitions/plans filed in this office, it is the final responsibility of the petitioner to make a proper application, address any zoning conflicts and, if necessary, to file revised petition materials. All revisions (including those required by the hearing officer) must be accompanied by a check made out to Baltimore County, Maryland for the \$100.00 revision fee.

- 1. The BCZR section reference in "B" of the variance petition wording appears garbled. The BCZR reference should be 1B01.1.B.1., etc. instead of 2B01..., etc. Also, the referenced relief is for setbacks only with no reference to buffers, though the 50-foot buffer <u>dimension</u> is stated.
- 2. The proposed RTA buffers should be in heavy outline and clearly labeled as to their nature and extent.

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire November 16, 1995 Page 2

- 3. Confirm the ownership and the right to use the 50-foot Howard Avenue right-of-way shown as "private" on the plan.
- 4. The special exception area should not be included in the overall description (but described separately for the B.L. zone only) as the D.R. zone does not permit service garage uses by right or by special exception.

If you need further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 887-3391.

Very truly yours,

John L. Lewis

Planner II

Zoning Review

JLL:sci

Enclosure (receipt)

c: Zoning Commissioner

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

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NTW 1705 York Road 96-049-Z

Limited Exemption Plan Review

Plan Date: 3/25/96

Zoning Case #96-193-SPHXA

Comments Due: 4/24/96 Comments Date: 4/5/96 Comments Typed: 4/5/96

This site was approved in the above referenced zoning case and though this plan basically agrees with the approved site plan, some changes have been made. The plans must be in agreement and the following comments address this issue.

Include the order, amended order, and all zoning restrictions from case #96-193-SPHXA on the plan.

Clarify how the parking locations as approved by the commissioner on petitioner's exhibits differ on this plan, yet the number of total parking spaces provided (52) remains unchanged.

Provide an engineering scale elevation on the plan of all existing and proposed free-standing signs clearly indicating the type, height, dimensions, square footage, single or double-face and illumination. All signs must be keyed to their existing or proposed location on the plan print and enough detail must be shown to determine compliance with the <u>Baltimore County Zoning</u> Regulations (BCZR), Section 413.2 and .5 and all zoning sign policies or a zoning variance is required.

Resubmit copies of plans revised per these comments with a copy of same for further zoning compliance review.

Final zoning approval is contingent first upon all plan comments being addressed on the development plan; secondly upon the final resolution of all comments, the outcome of any requested zoning hearings; and finally the inclusion of the blue commercial checklist information being included on the building permit site plans.

JOHN L. LEWIS

Planner II

NTW 1705 York Road 96-049-Z

2nd Review Limited Exemption Plan Dated 6/14/96

Comments Date: 6/21/96 Comments Due: 6/28/96

- 1. The building and some parking/maneuvering areas have been changed from the approved site plan in case #96-193-SPHXA. The development plan cannot be approved until 2 red-lined zoning case site plans (Petitioner's Exhibit 1), showing and listing all changes, is provided to the director of PDM for a determination that the changes can be approved as being within the spirit and intent of the zoning case and order. A \$40.00 fee is charged for this review. Document the director's response on the revised limited exemption development plan.
- 2. Include the PDM limited exemption number on the plan and state the date of this DRC action with the type of exemption given (b.9?).
- 3. Remove the dumpster from the residentially zoned area. This conflicts with the approved plan and zoning case restrictions #3, 6, and 12, as well as Section 409.8.B.2.C. (BCZR).
- 4. Add the amended zoning case order and restriction to sheet 2 of these plans.
- 5. Submit revised plans and a copy of these comments for zoning review once the spirit and intent determination has been made.

JØHN L. LEWIS

Planner II, Zoning Review

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c: Zoning Case #96-193-SPHXA

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RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING * BEFORE THE
PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION
PETITION FOR VARIANCE * ZONING COMMISSIONER

1705 York Road, NE/S York Road, 300' NW
of c/l Haddington Road, 8th * OF BALTIMORE COUNTY
Election District, 3rd Councilmanic

* CASE NO. 96-193-SPHXA

1705 York Road, LLC
Petitioner *

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the People's Counsel in the abovecaptioned matter. Notice should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and of the passage of any preliminary or final Order.

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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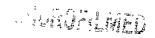
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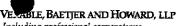
Deputy People's Counsel Room 47, Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204 (410) 887-2188

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 2 day of December, 1995, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire, Venable, Baetjer and Howard, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson, MD 21204, attorney for Petitioner.

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN





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MARYLAND WASHINGTON, D.C. VIRGINIA

Writer's Direct Number:



October 31, 1995

Hand Delivery

Mr. Carl Richards Department of Permits and Development Management County Courts Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re:

Property Owner:1705 York Road, LLC

Petitioner: National Tire Warehouse

Petition for Special Exception and Variance and Special Heuring foul:

Dear Mr. Richards: Caul:

I am hereby drop filing the enclosed Petition for Special Exception and Variance with regard to the above captioned property. The petitioner proposes to use the site as a service garage. John Lewis has met with the engineer numerous times and is very familiar with this project and the requested zoning relief. Also, there are no outstanding zoning violations on site. Enclosed are the following documents:

- 1. Petition for Special Exception (3)
- Petition for Variance (3) 2.
- Zoning description (3) 3.
- 200' scale zoning map (1) 4.
- Site Plans (12) 5.
- Check in the amount of \$620.00 6.



Mr. Carl Richards October 31, 1995 Page 2

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

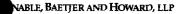
Sincerely,

Barbara W. Ormord Legal Assistant

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cc: Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire

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m/c 4/15/46



February 13, 1996

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Timothy M. Kotroco, Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Old Courthouse, Suite 113 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Petition for Special Exception and Variance

Case No.: 96-193SPHXA

Dear Mr. Kotroco:

After much discussion with John Austin of the York Manor Community Association, I am pleased to enclose a copy of a site plan that modifies Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1. Specifically, the proposed NTW facility is relocated farther to the north which gives additional room for the double row of planting on the south. Also, additional parking is provided on the south and the east and the dumpster has been necessarily relocated to the northeast corner of the site.

As mentioned at the hearing, the relocation of the building to the north would necessitate, in our opinion, an additional row of parking to the rear (east) of the site. At John's community board meeting, there was a great deal of concern over these parking spaces and a fear that these spaces may be utilized for some other purpose in the future. Accordingly, NTW has removed three of the additional parking spaces and would agree to a restriction in your Order that the remaining easternmost parking spaces can only be utilized for the NTW facility and no other purpose.

This revised site plan and the proposal for this additional restriction in your Order is over and above those restrictions agreed to at the hearing some months ago.

The site plan enclosed will be replaced shortly with a Plan that includes all the detail required for a zoning plat.



Timothy M. Kotroco February 13, 1996 Page 2

Thank you for your patience and consideration.

Yours truly,

Robert A. Hoffman

RAH/pmp Enclosure

cc: John A. Austin, Esquire

Mr. Theodore D. Britt Mr. David Lawrence

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February 26, 1996

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Timothy M. Kotroco Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Old Courthouse Suite 113 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re:

Case No.: 96-193SPHXA

National Tire Warehouse - Petitioner

Dear Mr. Kotroco:

I received John Austin's letter of February 20, 1996 and have discussed the substance of the letter with my client. NTW feels strongly that moving the building to the north (as requested) does not provide the best parking layout and thus the desire for the 6 additional spaces.

As further protection for the community, my client is willing to designate these 6 spaces as employee parking only, further limiting the amount of movement in and out of these spaces.

The cooperation of the York Manor residents and Association has been greatly appreciated throughout this process, and no matter what your decision on this last remaining issue, my client looks forward to a long and cordial relationship with them.

Yours truly,

RAH:pvb

John A. Austin, Esquire

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March 27, 1996

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Timothy M. Kotroco
Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County
Old Courthouse Suite 113
400 Washington Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204

Deputy Zoning Commissioner Case No. 96-193-SPHXA

National Tire Warehouse, Petitioner

Dear Tim:

Re:

Enclosed is a copy of a revised site plan which complies with your Order and amended Order in the referenced case. You should note that several things have been modified on the plan. First, the "additional" parking area to the rear of the site has been removed. Second, the double row of Leland Cypress is shown along the southern property line. (Please note that the plan does not show the extent of landscaping that will be required on the rest of the site to comply with the Baltimore County Landscape Manual.) Third, the Office of Planning's approval of the dumpster location is shown enlarged at the top center of the site plan. Fourth, a slight adjustment to the entrance/drive has resulted in one additional parking space in the BL zone.

I ask that you please initial the plan and include it as part of the permanent case file. Thank you for your consideration.

Yours truly,

Robert A. Hoffman

RAH:pvb

cc: John Austin, Esquire (w/enclosure)

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JOHN A. AUSTIN

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW

THE LEGG MASON CENTER 600 WASHINGTON AVE . SUITE 203 TOWSON. MARYLAND 21204 (410) 821-9632 FAX (410) 494-8067

February 20, 1996

Timothy M. Kotroco, Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Old Courthouse Suite 113 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Petition for Special Exception and Variable COMMISSIONER
Case No.: 96-193SPHXA - National Tire Warehouse

Dear Mr. Kotroco:

I am writing to you on behalf of the York Manor Improvement Association regarding the above-referenced application that is submitted on behalf of National Tire Warehouse by and through their counsel, Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. Specifically, I am responding to the letter of February 13, 1996 to you from Mr. Hoffman and the site plan that accompanied that letter.

It is correct that following the last hearing before concerning this issue that Mr. Hoffman's clients have made several significant changes at the request of the Association and these changes are incorporated in the new site plan. The Association, however, continues to have a concern over the necessity for having the last row of parking spaces that has been indicated on this new This row of parking spaces was not indicated on the plan that was submitted at the time of the original hearing, but is a development that has been included since that time. In his letter and on the site plan itself, Mr. Hoffman indicates that NTW would be willing to reduce the number of spaces along the back row from 9 to 6, including a space for the dumpster. By my count, this would give NTW a total of 57 parking spaces, including the nine parking spaces in the interior of the building as indicated on the original plan. That original plan showed that 38 spaces were required for this site and that plan, which did not include the final row of parking spaces, had a total of 52 parking spaces. The present plan now calls for a total of 57 parking spaces, including the 9 interior spaces. Even without the final row of 6 additional parking spaces, the site would still have 51 available parking spaces, only 1 less then they originally requested.

The Association, and the York Manor residents who live most immediately adjacent to the property, would request that this additional row of 6 parking spaces not be approved. Both the Association and the adjoining neighbors are concerned about the expansion of commercial development in to what were formerly quiet

Page Two Timothy M. Kotroco, Deputy Zoning Commissioner February 20, 1996

residential areas. The York Road corridor is an area of intense commercial development that, at present, is confined to a narrowly restricted area along York Road, which, on this property, is represented by the current BL zoning line. The Association and the adjoining neighbors are concerned that any expansion into areas currently zoned residential be of a limited nature. Because this last row of parking spaces represents an unnecessary extension of the parking area that is not needed for the business itself, we would ask that the plan be approved only if this last row is eliminated. While we are appreciative of NTW's willingness to restrict the use of those parking spaces only for their facility, a much more definitive resolution of the issue is simply to eliminate the spaces. Given the proposed use of the site, which would be limited to tire sales and installation, and "ride related repairs", it is difficult to imagine that normal day in and day out flow of customers to and from this property would exceed 51 parking For this reason, as well as the others presented previously, we would ask that the plan be approved without the eastern most row of parking spaces.

Very truly yours,

John A. Austin

JAA/afg

cc: Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire

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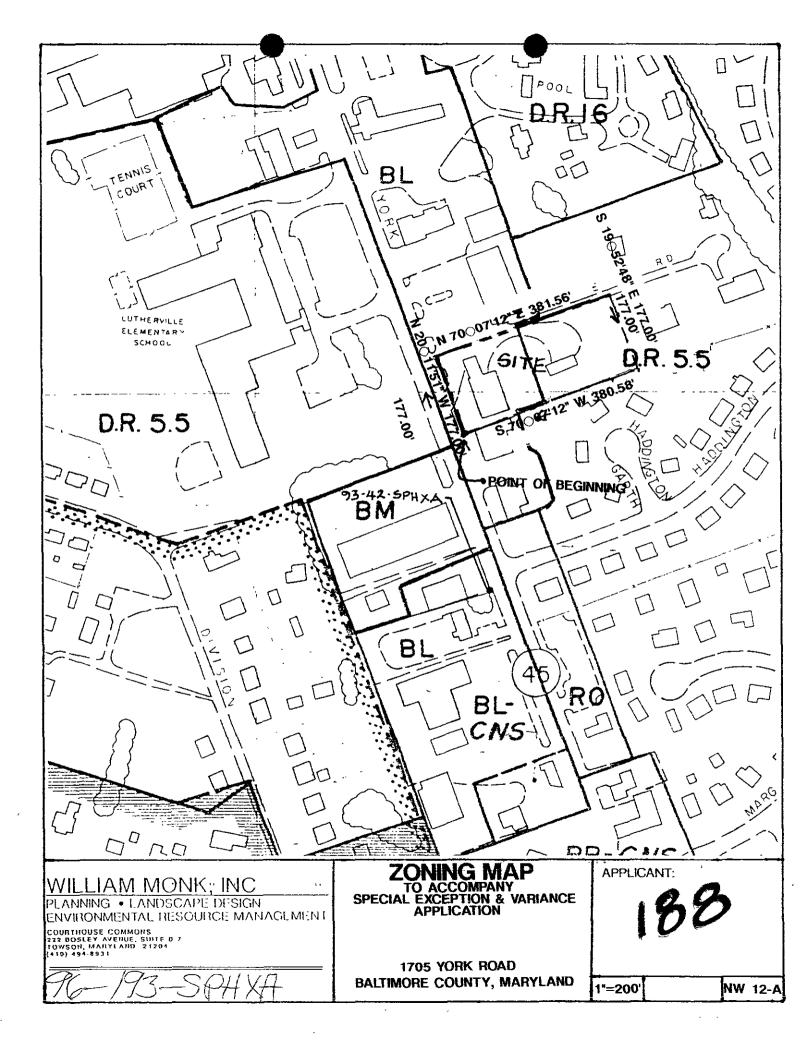
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PETITIONER(S) SIGN-IN SHEET

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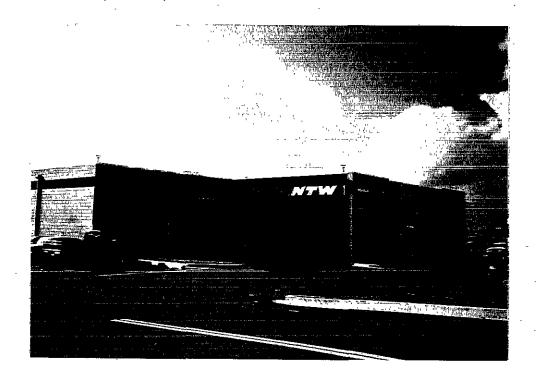
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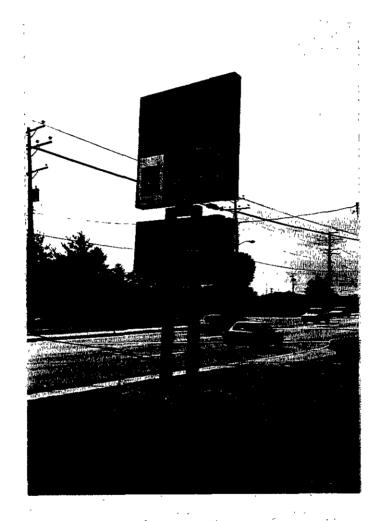
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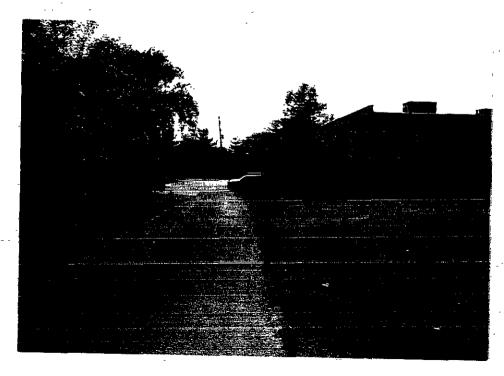
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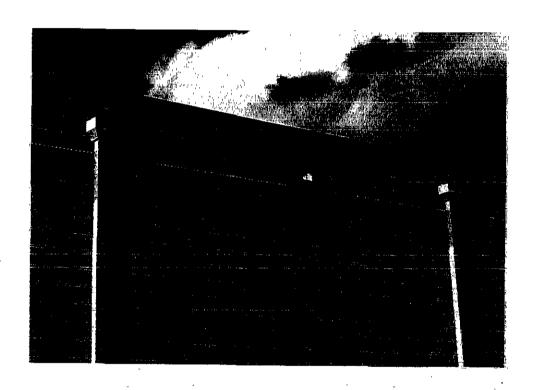
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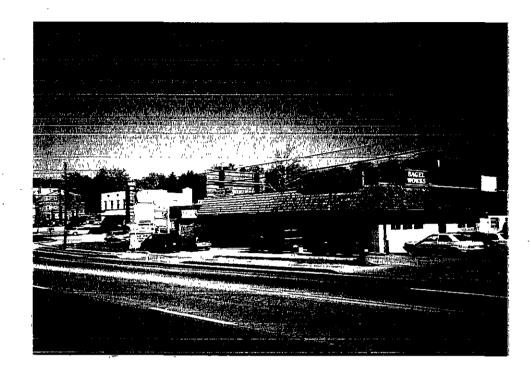


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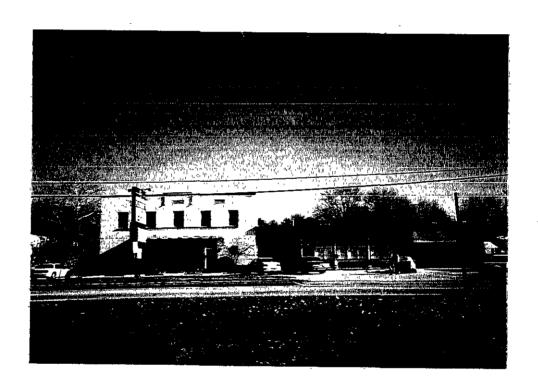
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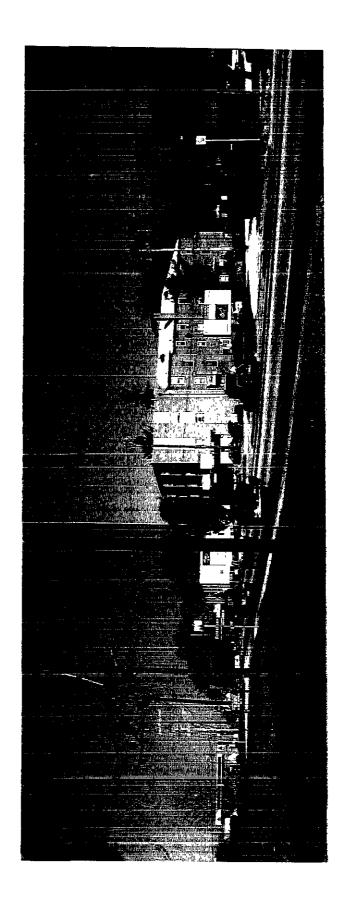
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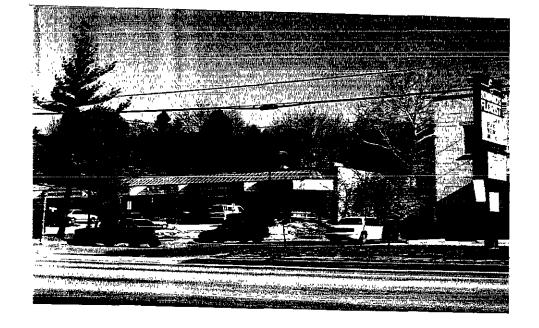


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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING, * BEFORE THE SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND VARIANCE NE/S York Road at Howard Avenue * DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER (1705 York Road) * OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 8th Election District 3rd Councilmanic District * Case No. 96-193-SPHXA 1705 York Road, LLC Petitioners

AMENDED ORDER

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WHEREAS, this matter came before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner as Petitions for Special Hearing, Special Exception and Variances for a service garage on the subject property in accordance with the site plan submitted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

WHEREAS, the relief was granted, subject to certain conditions and restrictions, by Order issued February 26, 1996.

Subsequent to the issuance of said Order, Counsel for the Petitioners advised this Office of a discrepancy in Restriction No. 4 concerning the hours that lighting on the subject property can be provided, and requested a modification thereof.

After due consideration of their request for modification, it appears that Restriction No. 4 should be modified and I shall so Order.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 28 day of February, 1996 that the Order issued February 26, 1996 should be AMENDED to modify Restriction No. 4 as follows:

> "4) All lighting for the subject site shall be as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 3. The light standards shall contain the shoe-box type of lighting shades. After 9:00 PM until sunrise, NTW shall only utilize security lighting to illuminate the property as is appropriate for security purposes."

spaces originally proposed to front Howard Avenue and a dumpster pad to

the rear of the site. The terms of the agreement that were reached between

NTW and the surrounding neighborhood shall be contained within the condi-

behalf of NTW, and Mr. Austin on behalf of his clients, agreed to continue

negotiations to resolve all outstanding issues regarding the proposed NTW

retail sales and service garage. After discussions between the parties,

Mr. Hoffman submitted to me, by letter dated February 13, 1996, a revised

site plan, marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 3, depicting the final agreement

between the parties, except for the placement of 6 of the 12 parking spaces

and dumpster pad. NTW agreed to eliminate the 12 parking spaces which were

originally proposed to front Howard Avenue, and proposed to relocate 6 of

those spaces and the dumpster pad to the rear of the site in the D.R. 5.5

zone. This would allow the proposed building to be shifted further away

from the residential properties abutting this site on the south side.

Furthermore, inasmuch as the number of parking spaces to be provided by

NTW far exceeded that required, NTW agreed that only 6 of the 12 parking

spaces proposed to be relocated would be replaced. By letter dated

February 20, 1996, Mr. Austin advised this office that he agreed with the

terms expressed in Mr. Hoffman's letter of February 13, 1996, except for

the placement of the 6 spaces and dumpster pad to the rear of the site in

the D.R. 5.5 zone. It was further requested that the 6 parking spaces not

it is clear that practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship would re-

sult if the relief requested in the special hearing were not granted. It

be approved, inasmuch as NTW will have ample parking at this site.

At the close of the hearing on December 12, 1995, Mr. Hoffman, on

tions and restrictions imposed at the end of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all other terms and conditions of the Order issued February 26, 1996 shall remain in full force and effect.

> Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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cc: Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Venable, Baetjer & Howard, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson, Md. 21204

Mr. Lawrence Thaner, Managing Member, 1705 York Road, LLC 1705 York Road, Lutherville, Md. 21093

Mr. David Lawrence, Manager, National Tire Warehouse

2359 Research Drive, Woodbridge, Virginia 22192-4607 Mr. William P. Monk, 222 Bosley Avenue, Towson, Md. 21204 John Austin, Esquire, 1504 Bedworth Road, Lutherville, Md. 21093 People's Counsel; Case File

has been established that the requirements from which the Petitioner seeks relief would unduly restrict the use of the land due to the special conditions unique to this particular parcel. In addition, the relief requested will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, and general welfare. However, given the fact that NTW will be able to provide adequate parking for the use proposed on this site, I am persuaded to grant the request set forth in Mr. Austin's letter of February 20, 1996. Therefore, the 6 parking spaces and dumpster pad which were proposed to be relocated to the rear of this site in the D.R. 5.5 zone shall be eliminated from the plan, and the Petitioners shall submit a plan showing the proposed relocation of the dumpster to the Office of Planning and Zoning for review and approval prior to the issuance of any permits.

As to the special exception relief sought, it is clear that the B.C.Z.R. permits the use proposed in a B.L./D.R. 5.5 zone by special exception. It is equally clear that the proposed use would not be detrimental to the primary uses in the vicinity. Therefore, it must be determined if the conditions as delineated in Section 502.1 are satisfied.

The Petitioner had the burden of adducing testimony and evidence which would show that the proposed use met the prescribed standards and requirements set forth in Section 502.1 of the B.C.Z.R. The Petitioner has shown that the proposed use would be conducted without real detriment to the neighborhood and would not adversely affect the public interest. The facts and circumstances do not show that the proposed use at the particular location described by Petitioner's Exhibit 1 would have any adverse impact above and beyond that inherently associated with such a special spe exception use, irrespective of its location within the zone. Schultz v. Pritts, 432 A.2d 1319 (1981).

IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING, * BEFORE THE SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND VARIANCE -WE/S York Road at Howard Avenue * DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER (1705 York Road) 8th Election District * OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 3rd Councilmanic District * Case No. 96-193-SPHXA 1705 York Road, ILC

Petitioners

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner as Petitions for Special Hearing, Special Exception and Variance for that property known as 1705 York Road, located in the vicinity of Howard Avenue in Lutherville. The Petitions were filed by the owner of the property, 1705 York Road, LLC, by Lawrence Thaner, Managing Member, and the Contract Purchaser/Lessee. National Tire Warehouse, by David Lawrence, Manager, through their attorney, Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. The Petitioners seek approval of a use permit for parking in a residential zone and a special exception for a service garage in a B.L. zone, pursuant to Section 230.13 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), and variance relief as follows: From Sections 232.1 and 303.2 to permit a front yard setback of 56 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet, and from Section 1B01.1B.1.c.2, e.3 and e.5 to permit Residential Transition Area (RTA) setbacks of O feet on the north side and 17 feet on the south side, in lieu of the required 75 feet and 50 feet, respectively. The subject property and relief requested are more particularly described on the site plan submitted and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the hearing on behalf of the Petition were David Lawrence, a representative of National Tire Warehouse, Contract Purchaser/ Lessee, William P. Monk, Landscape Planning and Zoning Consultant, Ted

Britt, and Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire, attorney for the Petitioners. John Austin, Esquire, appeared and testified on behalf of the York Manor Improvement Association, a Protestant in the matter.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject property consists of a gross area of 1.53 acres, more or less, split zoned B.L. and D.R. 5.5, and is improved with greenhouses and accessory buildings previously used in the operation of a florist shop. The split zoning of the property is significant in that the front portion of the site along York Road is zoned B.L, with the rear of the site zoned D.R. 5.5. The Petitioners propose to utilize the subject property as a retail tire sales and service garage for the national retail tire chain known as National Tire Warehouse. Proposed improvements to the site include removing the existing structures and constructing a one-story building to house the proposed use. The Petitioners submitted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibits 1 and 2, site plans of the property showing the proposed improvements and a prototype of the National Tire Warehouse (NTW) building. NTW has opened several other retail tire stores/service garages in and around Baltimore County and intend to utilize a similar prototype building at the subject location. Due to the rectangular share of the lot and its split zoning, the proposed building will utilize most of the area towards the front of the site zoned B.L., and parking will be to the rear of the property, which is zoned D.R. 5.5. Thus, the relief requested is necessary in order ito proceed as proposed.

At the preliminary stage of the public hearing, Mr. Hoffman and Mr. Austin, on behalf of the York Manor Improvement Association, stated that both parties had reached an agreement concerning the proposed development of the subject site by NTW, except for the relocation of the parking

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The proposed use will not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the locality, nor tend to create congestion in roads, streets, or alleys therein, nor be inconsistent with the purposes of the property's zoning classification, nor in any other way be inconsistent with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

After reviewing all of the testimony and evidence presented, it appears that the special exception should be granted with certain restrictions as more fully described at the end of this Order.

An area variance may be granted where strict application of the zoning regulations would cause practical difficulty to the Petitioner and his property. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973). To prove practical difficulty for an area variance, the Petitioner must meet the following:

> 1) whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for a permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily

2) whether a grant of the variance would do a substantial justice to the applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give sufficient relief; and,

3) whether relief can be granted in such fashion that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and public safety and welfare secured.

Anderson v. Bd. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28

It is clear from the testimony that if the variance is granted, such use, as proposed, will not be contrary to the spirit of the B.C.Z.R. and will not result in any injury to the public good.

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, it is clear that practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship will result if the variance relief were not granted. It has been established that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of this request and that the requirements from which the Petitioner seeks relief will unduly restrict the use of the land due to the special conditions unique to this particular parcel. In addition, the relief requested will not cause any injury to the public health, safety or general welfare and is in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above the relief requested, as modified herein, should be granted.

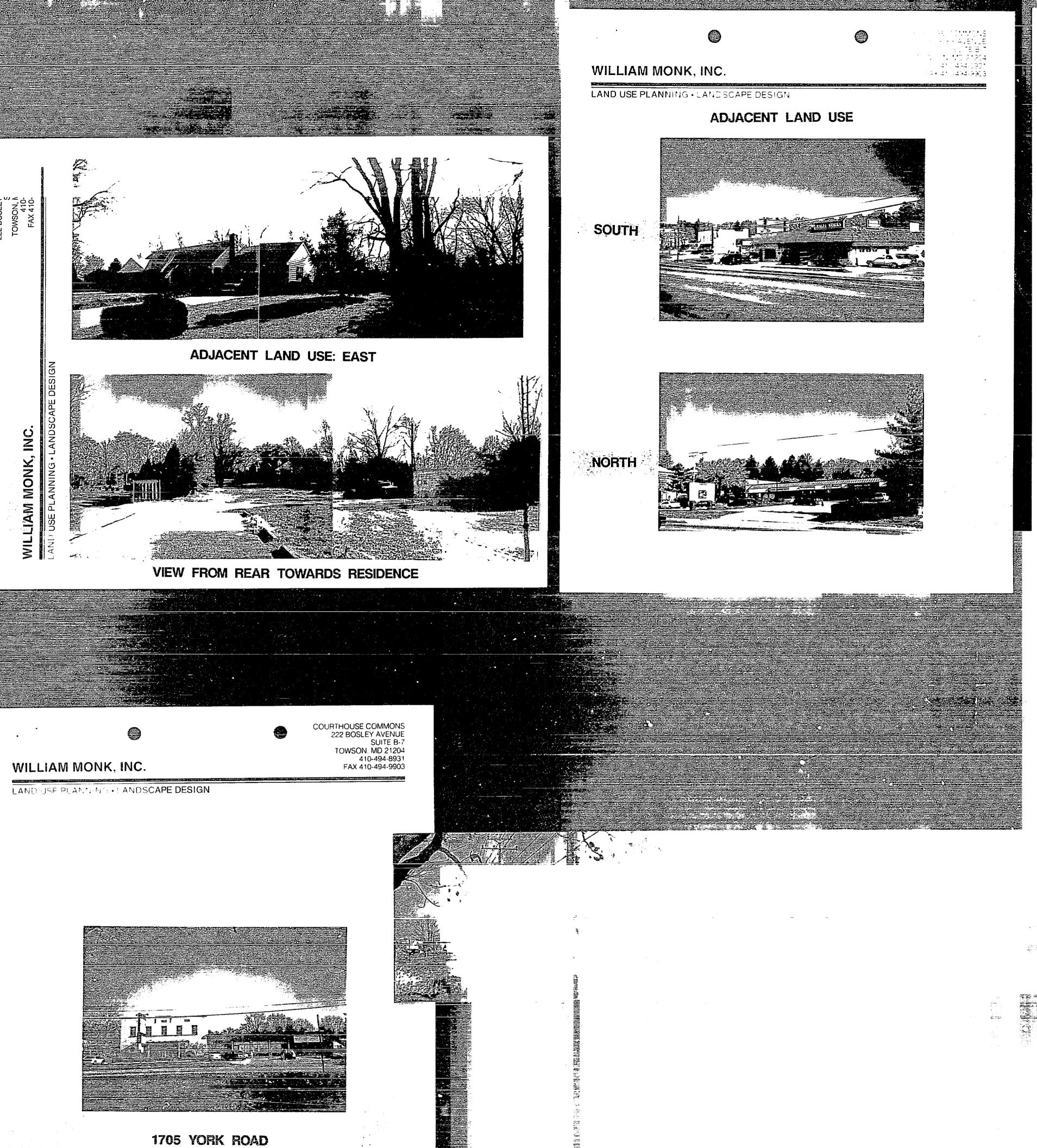
THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 36th day of February, 1996, that the Petition for Special Hearing seeking approval of a use permit for parking in a residential zone, be and is hereby GRANTED; and.

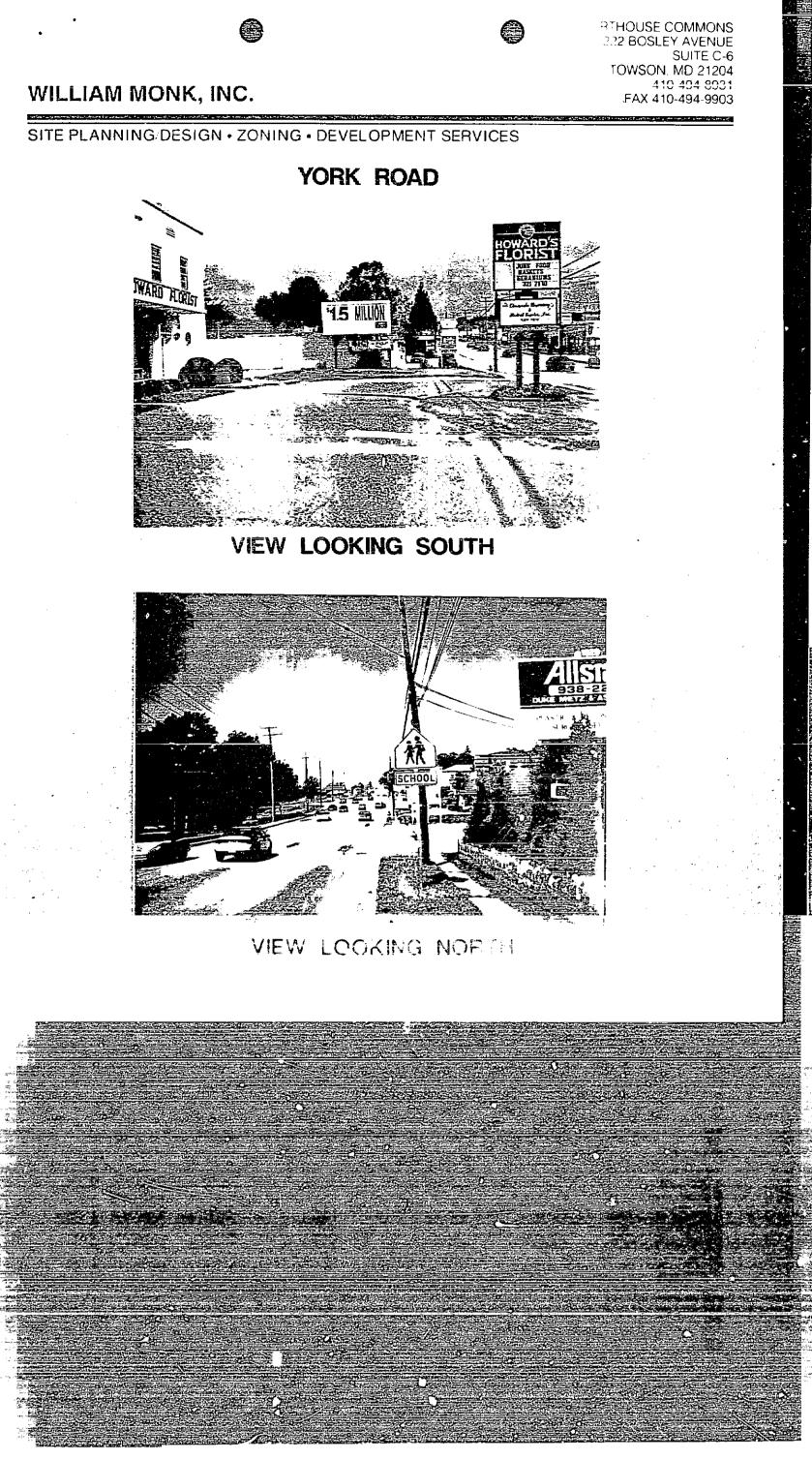
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Special Exception to permit a service garage in a B.L. zone, pursuant to Section 230.13 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 3, be and is hereby GRANTED; and,

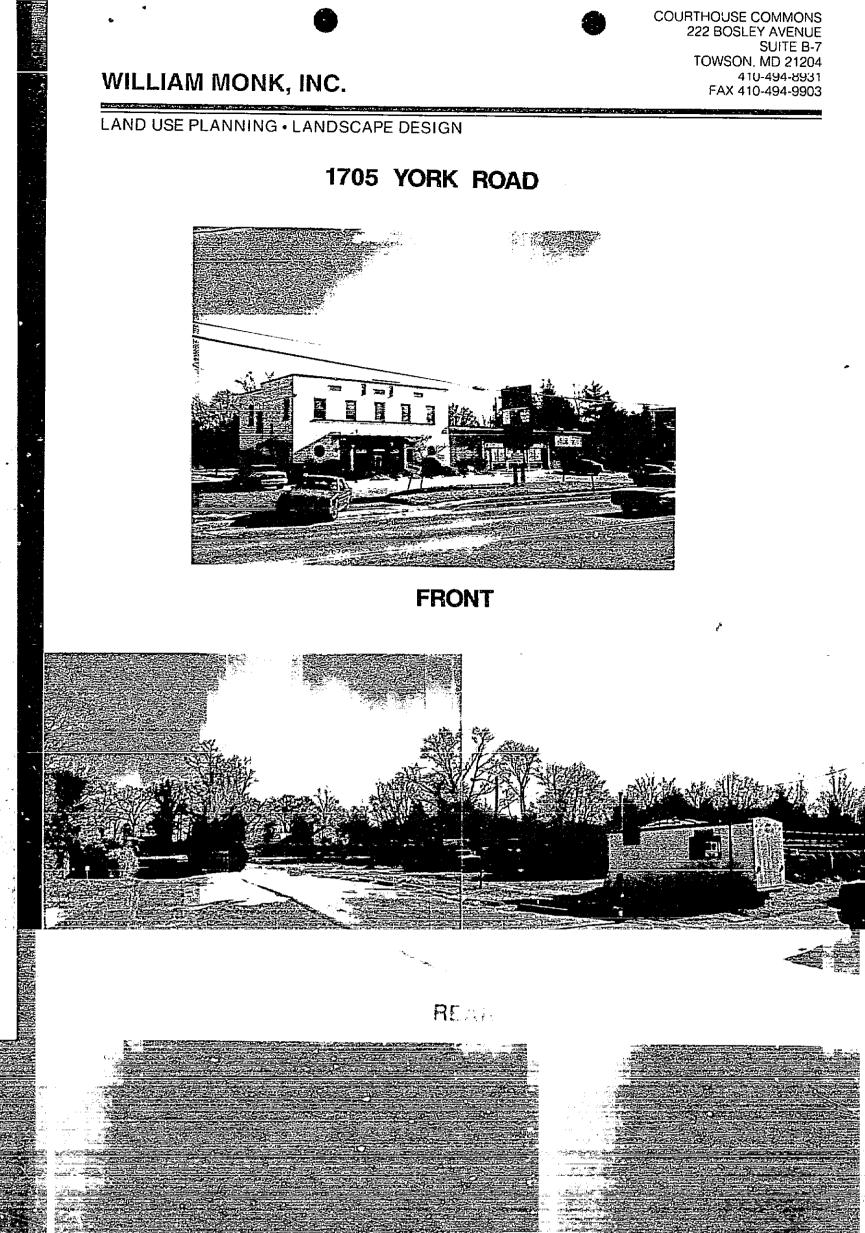
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance seeking relief as follows: From Sections 232.1 and 303.2 to permit a front yard setback of 56 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet, and from Section 1B01.1B.1.c.2, e.3 and e.5 to permit Residential Transition Area (RTA) setbacks of 0 feet on the north side and 17 feet on the south side, in lieu of the required 75 feet and 50 feet, respectively, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 3, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented,

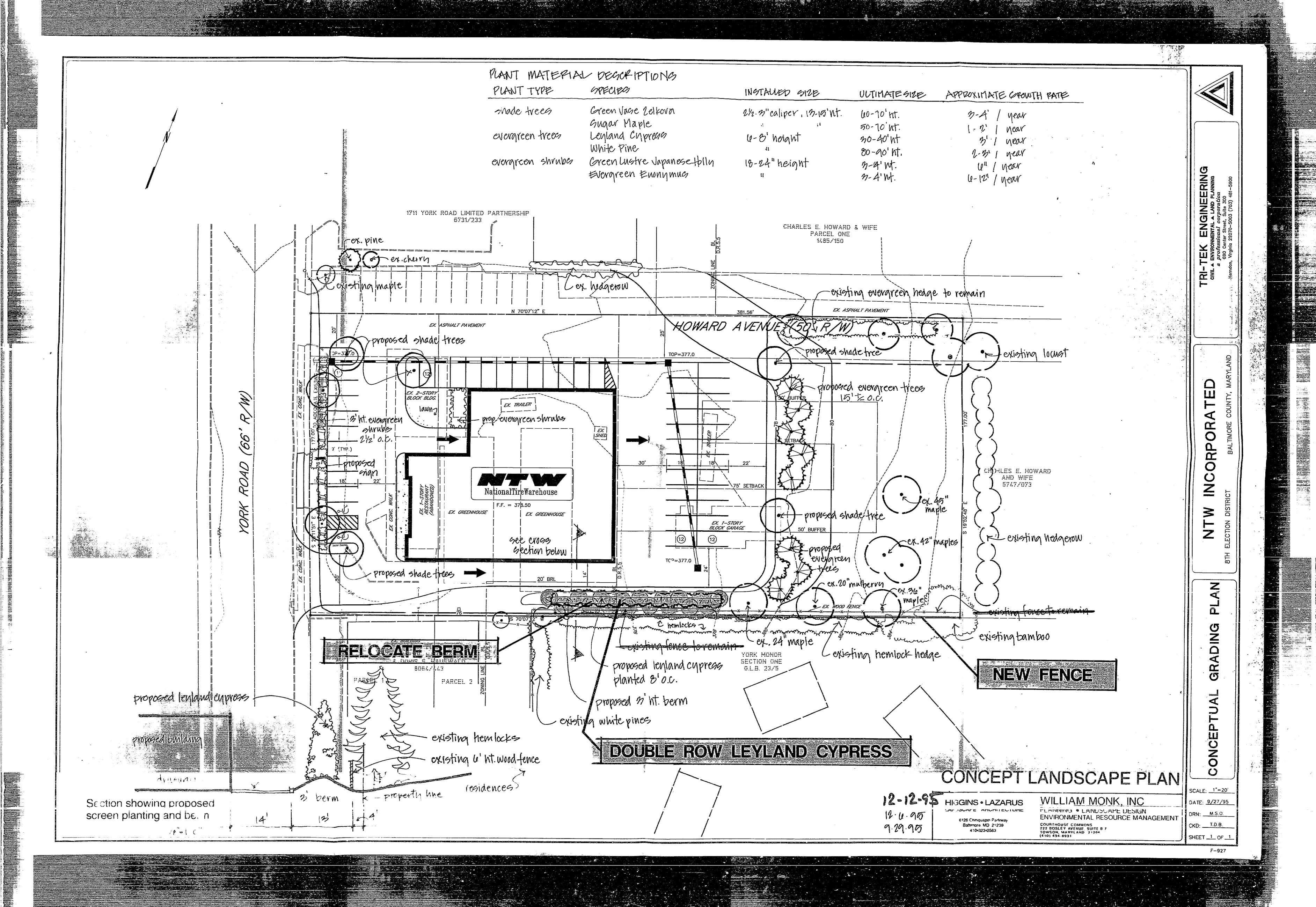


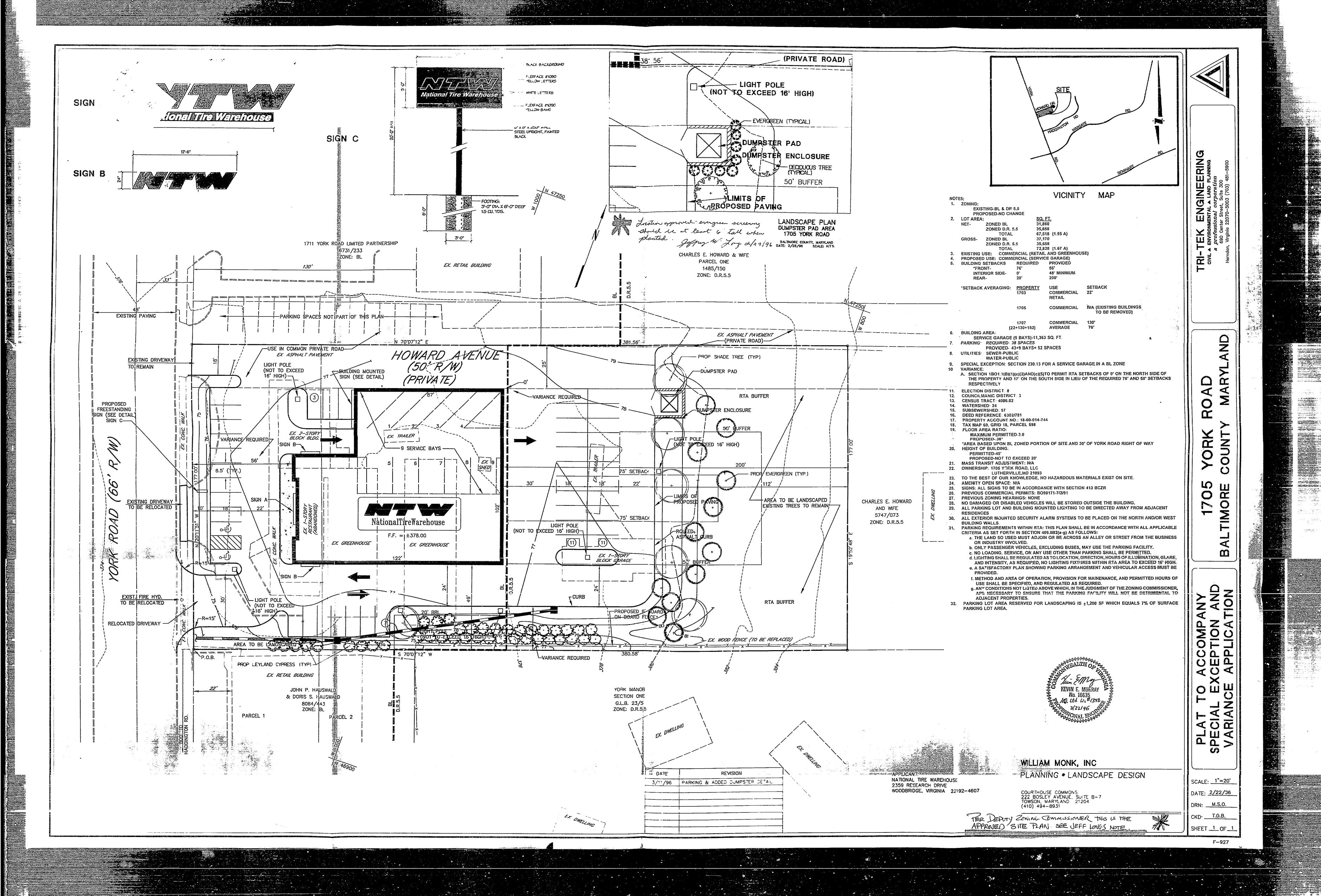


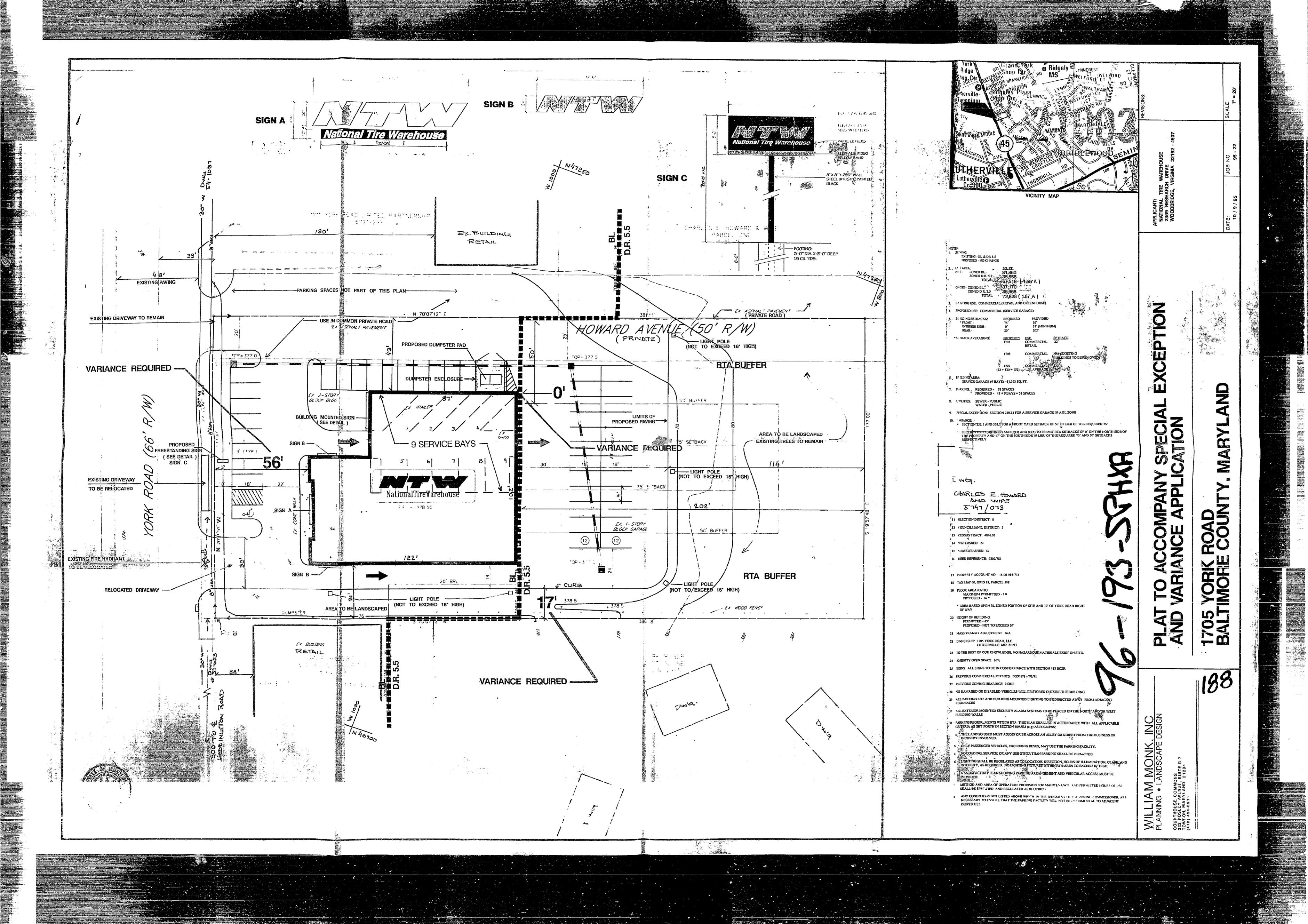


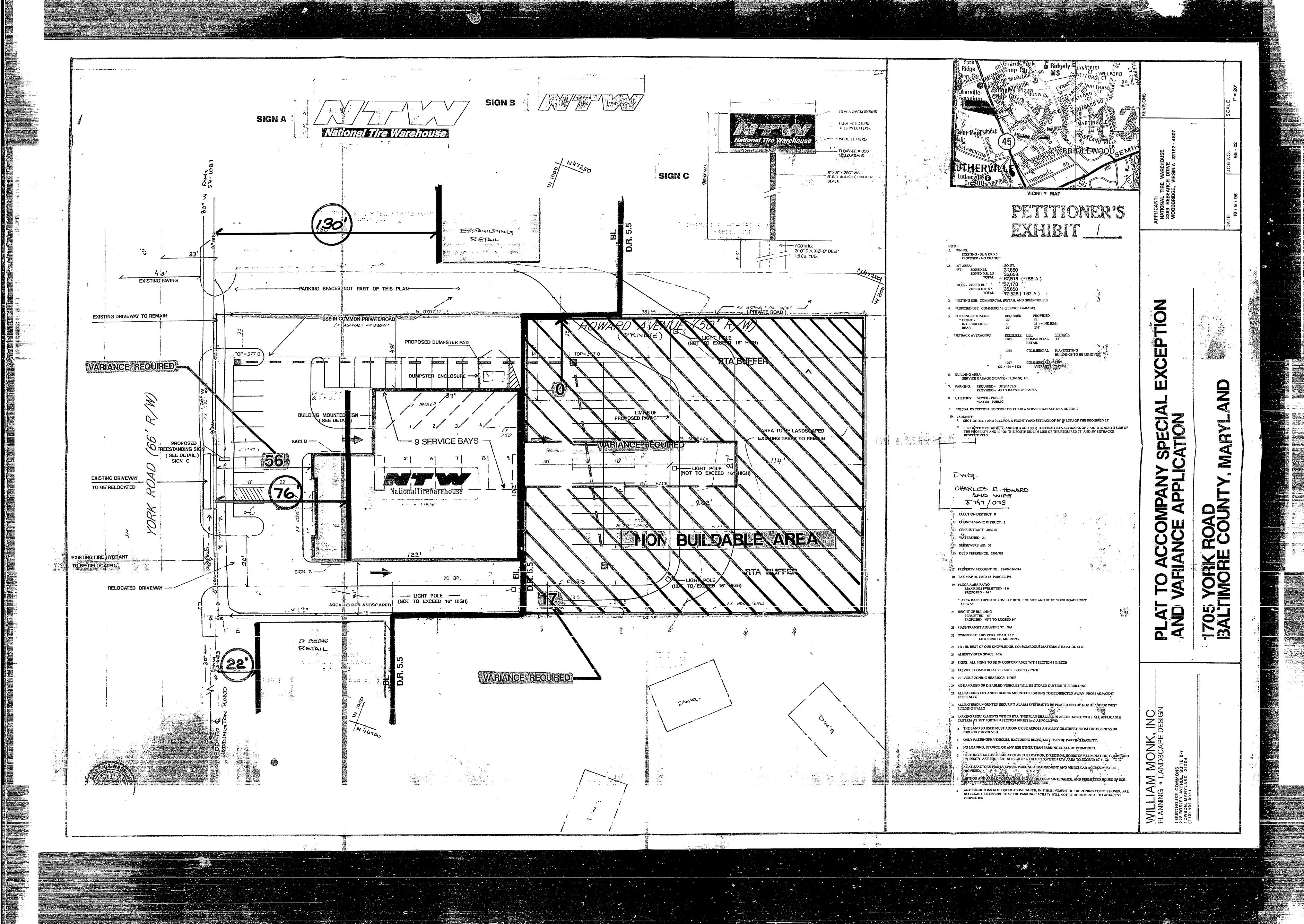


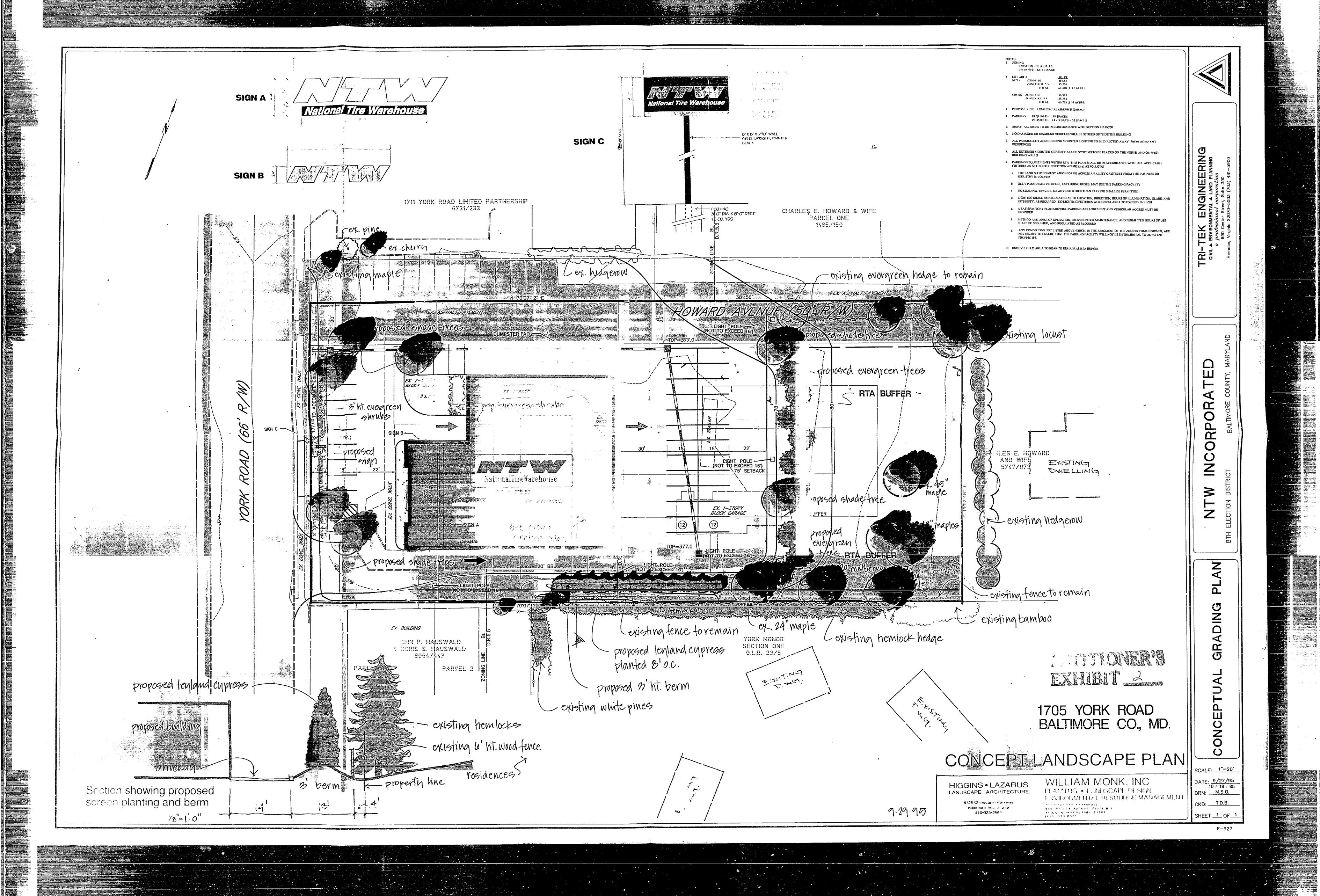


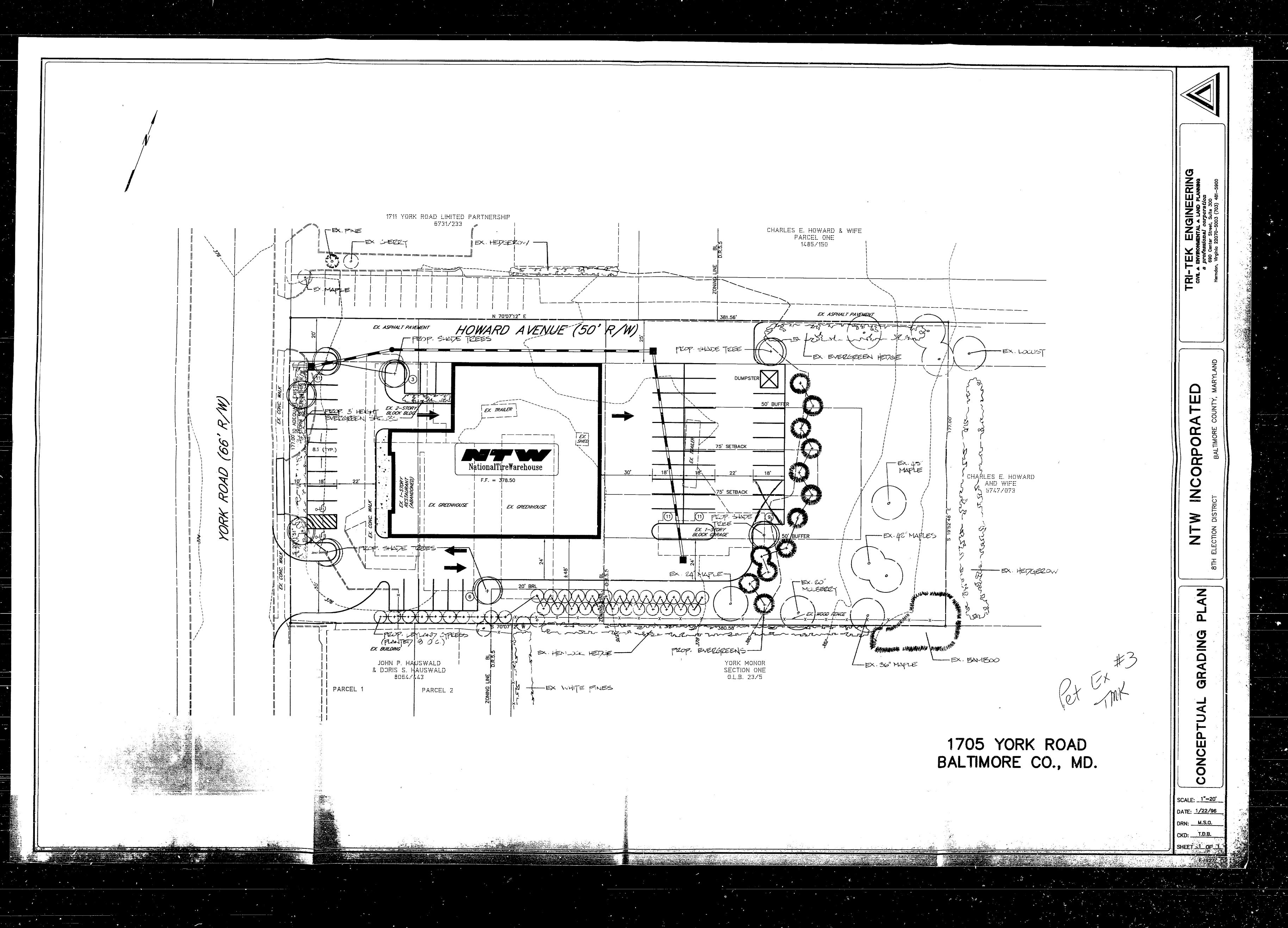












1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until such time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the relief granted herein shall be rescinded.

2) Within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order, Petitioners shall submit a revised site plan depicting the modified parking agreement which eliminates the six (6) parking spaces that were to be relocated to the rear of this site. Furthermore, the Petitioners shall submit a plan showing the proposed location of the dumpster to the Office of Planning and Zoning for review and approval, prior to the issuance of any building permits.

3) The special exception relief granted herein is limited to the B.L. zoned portion of the site. There shall be no expansion of this special exception into the D.R. 5.5 zoned portion of the site.

4) All lighting for the subject site shall be as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 3. The light standards shall contain the shoe-box type of lighting shades and shall be illuminated Monday through Saturday, from 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM, only. From 9:00 PM until sunrise daily, NTW shall only utilize security lighting to illuminate the property as is appropriate for security purposes.

5) Any and all alarms or bells which shall be installed on the building itself shall be oriented towards York Road so as not to impose upon the quiet enjoyment of the surrounding residential community.

6) The residential zoned portion of the site located to the rear of the property behind the parking area shall remain undeveloped in its natural state, with the exception of the additional screening and landscaping which is to be installed by the Petitioner.

7) The Petitioner shall replace the existing wood fence with a new wood fence, and shall maintain same in good condition.

8) The identification sign for NTW shall be as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 1, and shall be similar to the sign which is presently used to identify the NTW store on Reisterstown Road. There shall be no temporary banners or inflatable promotional devices used at the subject site, except for a two-week period during NTW's grand opening.

9) All tires, both new and used, shall be stored within the building itself. No tires shall be permitted to be stored outside on the property.

10) The height of the NTW building is limited to 18'10" and the landscaping proposed along the south and east property lines shall be Leland Cypress and evergreens as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 3.

11) All deliveries to and from NTW shall be made during regular business hours. Furthermore, all trash removal from the subject site shall be done during regular business hours.

12) The parking spaces located to the rear of the subject property in the D.R. 5.5 zoned portion of the site, shall be utilized for parking by NTW employees and customers, only, and shall not be used for any other purpose.

13) When applying for any permits, the site plan and/ or landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

> Musthy Kotroes TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

Baltimore County Government Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning

Suite 112 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

February 26, 1996

(410) 887-4386

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Venable, Baetjer & Howard 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING, SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND VARIANCE NE/S York Road at Howard Avenue (1705 York Road)

8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic District 1705 York Road, LLC - Petitioners Case No. 96-193-SPHXA

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petitions for Special Hearing, Special Exception and Variance have been granted in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact the Zoning Administration and Development Management office at 887-3391.

> Very truly yours, TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

cc: Mr. Lawrence Thaner, Managing Member, 1705 York Road, LLC 1705 York Road, Lutherville, Md. 21093

Mr. David Lawrence, Manager, National Tire Warehouse 2359 Research Drive, Woodbridge, Virginia 22192-4607

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Petition for Special Exception

And Special Hearing

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 1705 York Road, Lutherville, MD 21093

which is presently zoned BL and DR5.5 This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zonling Administration & Development Management. The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Special Exception under the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to use the herein described property for

a service garage in a BL zone pursuant to Section 230.13 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations.

And a special hearing to approve a use permit for parking in a residential

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations. I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Exception advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

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VA 22192-4607 1705 York Road

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Venable, Baetjer and Howard, LLP 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Petition for Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 1705 York Road, Lutherville, MD 21093

which is presently zoned BL and DR5.5 This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zoning Administration & Development Management. The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s)

See attached. of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the Zoning Law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or

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Variance Request 76-193-SPHXA

A. Variance from Section 232.1 and 303.2 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations to permit a front yard setback of 56' in lieu of the required 75'.

Variance from Section 2B01.1(B)(1)(c)(2) and (e)(3) and (e)(5) to permit RTA setbacks of 0' on the north side of the property and 17' on the south side in lieu of the required 75' and 50' setbacks respectively.

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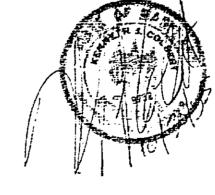
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1705 YORK ROAD 8TH ELECTION DISTRICT BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

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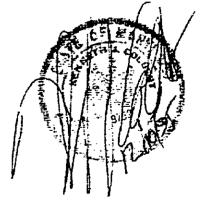


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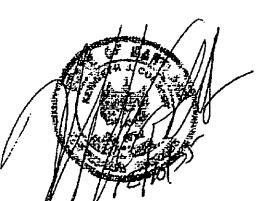
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Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management

November 16, 1995

NOTICE OF HEARING

Development Processing

County Office Building

111 West Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, Maryland 21204

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore County, will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in Roca 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue in Towson, Maryland 21204

Room 118, Old Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 as follows:

CASE NUMBER: 96-193-SPHXA (Item 188) 1705 York Road ME/S York road, 300' MH of c/l Maddington Road 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Legal Owner: 1705 York Road, LLC Contract Purchaser/Lessee: National Tire Warehouse

Special Hearing to approve a use permit for parking in a residential zone. Special Exception for a service garage in a B.L. zone. Variance to permit a front yard setback of 56 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet; and to permit RTA setbacks of zero feet on the north side of the property and 17 feet on the south side in lieu of the required 75 feet and 50 feet setbacks respectively

HEARING: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1995 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 118, Old Courthouse.

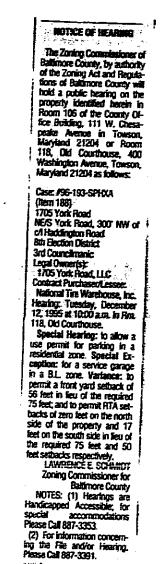
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CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

ZONING DEPARTMENT OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 96-193-5P HXA Tower, Maryland

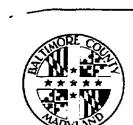
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CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once in each of ____ successive

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Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management

Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

December 4, 1995

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Venable, Baetjer and Howard, LLP 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204

> Case No.: 96-193-SPHXA Petitioner: 1705 York Rd., Inc.

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC), which consists of representatives from Baltimore County approval agencies, has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition, which was accepted for processing by Permits and Development Management (PDM), Zoning Review, on November 1 1995.

Any comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition are attached. These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties (zoning commissioner, attorney, petitioner, etc.) are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case. Only those comments that are informative will be forwarded to you; those that are not informative will be placed in the permanent case file.

If you need further information or have any questions regarding these comments, please do not hesitate to contact the commenting agency or Joyce Watson in the zoning office (887-3391).

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Zoning Supervisor

WCR/jw Attachment(s)

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TO: Arnold Jablon, Director DATE: Nov. 21, 1995 Zoning Administration and Development Management

FROM Robert W. Bowling, P.E., Chief Development Plans Review Division

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting for November 21, 1995 Item No. 188

The Development Plans Review Division has reviewed the subject zoning item. All improvements, intersections, entrances, drainage requirements and construction affecting a State Road right-of-way are subject to the standards, specifications and approval of the Maryland State Highway Administration, in addition to those of Baltimore County.

The proposed entrance will be constructed per Dept. of Public Works Road and Street Detail Standard Plate R-32, Single Commercial Entrance.

This proposal is subject to the Landscape Manual. The Special Exception requires that a schematic landscape plan be submitted at this time. The submitted building and parking lot layout generally conforms with the setback requirements of the Landscape Manual in the B.L. portion of the site. The D.R. 5.5 portion of the site must provide 7% interior landscape area in the parking lot.

It is recommended that the ten (10) parking spaces along Howard Avenue be eliminated.

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TO: Arnold Jablon, Director, PDM DATE: November 21, 1995

FROM: Pat Keller, Director, OP

SUBJECT: 1705 York Road

TO: PUTUNENT PUBLISHING COMPANY

Venable, Baetjer and Howard, LLP

CASE NUMBER: 96-193-SPHXA (Item 188)

NE/S York road, 300' NW of c/l Haddington Road 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Legal Owner: 1705 York Road, LLC

Contract Purchser/Lessee: National Tire Warehouse, Inc.

Special Exception for a service garage in a B.L. zone.

required 75 feet and 50 feet setbacks respectively

Special Hearing to approve a use permit for parking in a residential zone.

HEARING: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1995 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 118, Old Courthouse.

Please foward billing to:

Robert A. Hoffman, Esq.

210 Allegheny Avenue

Towson, MD 21204

494-6200

1705 York Road

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

November 22/23, 1995 Issue - Jeffersonian

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore

Room 118, Old Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 as follows:

Variance to permit a front yard setback of 56 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet; and to permit RTA setbacks of zero feet on the north side of the property and 17 feet on the south side in lieu of the

NOTES: (1) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMPODATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353.

(2) FOR INFORMATION CONCERING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, PLEASE CALL 887-3391.

Room 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue in Towson, Maryland 21204

County, will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in

INFORMATION:

Item Number:

Petitioner: 1705 York Road, Inc.

Property Size:

Zoning: BL and DR-5.5

Special Exception and Variance

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The applicant's representatives met with staff both prior and subsequent to the filing of the subject request. In addition, these representatives also met with members of the York Manor Improvement Association to discuss the proposed improvements to Petitioner's site. The applicant's willingness to meet with the community and staff is appreciated.

Based upon a review of the information provided, this office recommends that the request be granted subject to the following conditions:

1) A landscape plan should be submitted to the Landscape Planner for review and

2) No improvements (other than landscaping) should be permitted within the area

of the plan designated as the RTA buffer

700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21286-5500

(410) 887-4500

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DATE: 11/15/95

Arnold Jablon Director Zoning Administration and Development Management Baltimore County Office Building

Towson, MD 21204 MAIL STOP-1105

RE: Property Owner: NATIONAL TIRE WAREHOUSE LOCATION: NE/S YORK RD., 300' NW OF CENTERLINE HADDINGTON RD.

(1705 YORK RD.)

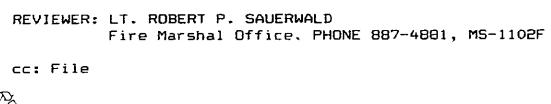
Zoning Agenda: SPECIAL HEARING SPECIAL EXCEPTION/VARIANCE

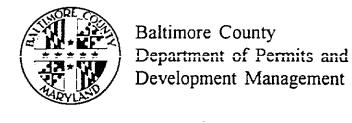
Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property.

4. The site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the Fire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or beginning of operation.

5. The buildings and structures existing or proposed on the site shall comply with all applicable requirements of the National Fire Protection Association Standard No. 101 "Life Safety Code", 1991 edition prior to occupancy.

REVIEWER: LT. ROBERT P. SAUERWALD





Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

November 16, 1995

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire Venable, Baetjer, and Howard 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204

96-193-514 A

RE: Preliminary Petition Review (Item #188) Legal Owner: 1705 York Road, LLC 1705 York Road 8th Election District

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

At the request of the attorney/petitioner, the above referenced petition was accepted for filing without a final filing review by the staff. The plan was accepted with the understanding that all zoning issues/filing requirements would be addressed. A subsequent review by the staff has revealed unaddressed zoning issues and/or incomplete information. The following comments are <u>advisory</u> and do not necessarily identify all details and inherent technical zoning requirements necessary for a complete application. As with all petitions/plans filed in this office, it is the final responsibility of the petitioner to make a proper application, address any zoning conflicts and, if necessary, to file revised petition materials. All revisions (including those required by the hearing officer) must be accompanied by a check made out to Baltimore County, Maryland for the \$100.00 revision fee.

- 1. The BCZR section reference in "B" of the variance petition wording appears garbled. The BCZR reference should be 1B01.1.B.1., etc. instead of 2B01..., etc. Also, the referenced relief is for setbacks only with no reference to buffers, though the 50-foot buffer <u>dimension</u> is
- 2. The proposed RTA buffers should be in heavy outline and clearly labeled as to their nature and extent.



1705 York Road 96-049-Z

Limited Exemption Plan Review Plan Date: 3/25/96 Zoning Case #96-193-SPHXA

Comments Due: 4/24/96 Comments Date: 4/5/96 Comments Typed: 4/5/96

This site was approved in the above referenced zoning case and though this plan basically agrees with the approved site plan, some changes have been made. The plans must be in agreement and the following comments address this issue.

Include the order, amended order, and all zoning restrictions from case #96-193-SPHXA on the plan.

Clarify how the parking locations as approved by the commissioner on petitioner's exhibits differ on this plan, yet the number of total parking spaces provided (52) remains

Provide an engineering scale elevation on the plan of all existing and proposed freestanding signs clearly indicating the type, height, dimensions, square footage, single or double-face and illumination. All signs must be keyed to their existing or proposed location on the plan print and enough detail must be shown to determine compliance with the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR), Section 413.2 and .5 and all zoning sign policies or a zoning variance is required.

Resubmit copies of plans revised per these comments with a copy of same for further zoning compliance review.

Final zoning approval is contingent first upon all plan comments being addressed on the development plan; secondly upon the final resolution of all comments, the outcome of any requested zoning hearings; and finally the inclusion of the blue commercial checklist information being included on the building permit site plans.

1705 York Road 96-049-Z

2nd Review Limited Exemption Plan Dated 6/14/96 Comments Date: 6/21/96 Comments Due: 6/28/96

- The building and some parking/maneuvering areas have been changed from the approved site plan in case #96-193-SPHXA. The development plan cannot be approved until 2 red-lined zoning case site plans (Petitioner's Exhibit 1), showing and listing all changes, is provided to the director of PDM for a determination that the changes can be approved as being within the spirit and intent of the zoning case and order. A \$40.00 fee is charged for this review. Document the director's response on the revised limited exemption development plan.
- 2. Include the PDM limited exemption number on the plan and state the date of this DRC action with the type of exemption given (b.9?).
- Remove the dumpster from the residentially zoned area. This conflicts with the approved plan and zoning case restrictions #3, 6, and 12, as well as Section 409.8.B.2.C. (BCZR).
- 4. Add the amended zoning case order and restriction to sheet 2 of these plans.
- Submit revised plans and a copy of these comments for zoning review once the spirit and intent determination has been made.

Planner II, Zoning Review

#C Zoning Case #96-193 SPHXA

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire November 16, 1995 Page 2

- Confirm the ownership and the right to use the 50-foot Howard Avenue right-of-way shown as "private" on the plan.
- 4. The special exception area should not be included in the overall description (but described separately for the B.L. zone only) as the D.R. zone does not permit service garage uses by right or by special

If you need further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate

John L. Lewis Planner II Zoning Review

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DUMPSTER IN RESTRICTED BREAT

WHITING FOR STUFF FROM R. H.

JLL:scj

Enclosure (receipt)

c: Zoning Commissioner

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1996. If you have no comments or do not need to review this plan, please indicate by placing your initials here _____.

Please review the attached plan for compliance with current regulations and return comments to this office by

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: April 3, 1996

Please initial here if your agency requests PDM, Land Acquisition, to acquire

TRI-TECK ENGINEERING, INC.

HIGHWAY WIDENING _____ GREENWAY _ DRAIN/UTILITY EASEMENT _____ FOREST CONSERVATION

Mr. Wirth - DEPRM, SWM

Mr. Stewart - DEPRM, EIRD Mr. Seeley - DEPRM, W & S

Mr. Bowling - PDM, DES (4)

Mr. Grossman - Rec & Parks

Mr. Small - SHA (3)

PDM No.:

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Carol A. Brown CAS

Project No.: 96049 2-

Capt. Pauli - Fire Dept. - 1102F

Mr. Richards - PDM, Development Control

Mr. McDaniel - OPZ, Development Review (3)

Project Name: NTW - 1705 YORK ROAD

(703) 481-5900

Limited Exemption (26-171.b.9)

Waived Hearing Officer Hearing

CRG Non-material Amendment

Waived CRG Meeting

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Mrs. Rorke - PDM, House Numbers & Street Names

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PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION PETITION FOR VARIANCE 1705 York Road, NE/S York Road, 300' NW of c/l Haddington Road, 8th Election District, 3rd Councilmanic 1705 York Road, LLC

Petitioner

final Order.

ZONING COMMISSIONER OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

CASE NO. 96-193-SPHXA

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the People's Counsel in the abovecaptioned matter. Notice should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and of the passage of any preliminary or

> People's Counsel for Baltimore County CAROLE S. DEMILIO Deputy People's Counsel Room 47, Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-2188

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 2 day of December, 1995, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Robert A. Hoffman. Esquire, Venable, Baetjer and Howard, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson, MD 21204, attorney for Petitioner.



VENABLE

Towson, Maryland 21285-5517 (410) 494-6200, Fax (410) 821-0147

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Writer's Direct Number:

October 31, 1995

Hand Delivery

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

Mr. Carl Richards Department of Permits and Development Management County Courts Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Property Owner: 1705 York Road, LLC Petitioner: National Tire Warehouse Location: 1705 York Road Petition for Special Exception and Variance and Special Hewarts Dear Mr. Richards: Call:

I am hereby drop filing the enclosed Petition for Special Exception and Variance with regard to the above captioned property. The petitioner proposes to use the site as a service garage John Lewis has met with the engineer numerous times and is very familiar with this project and the requested zoning relief. Also, there are no outstanding zoning violations on site. Enclosed are the following documents:

- Petition for Special Exception (3)
- Petition for Variance (3)
- Zoning description (3)
- Site Plans (12)

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Mr. Carl Richards October 31, 1995 Page 2

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

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cc: Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire

Barbara W. Ormord Legal Assistant

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200' scale zoning map (1) Check in the amount of \$620.00

> LINABLE, BAETJER AND HOWARD, LLP Including professional corporations 210 Allegheny Avenue Post Office Box 5517

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(410) 494-6262 February 26, 1996

ZONING COMMISSIONER

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MARYLAND

WASHINGTON, D.C.

VIA HAND DELIVERY Timothy M. Kotroco Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Old Courthouse Suite 113 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

> Re: Case No.: 96-193SPHXA National Tire Warehouse - Petitioner

Dear Mr. Kotroco:

I received John Austin's letter of February 20, 1996 and have discussed the substance of the letter with my client. NTW feels strongly that moving the building to the north (as requested) does not provide the best parking layout and thus the desire for the 6 additional spaces.

As further protection for the community, my client is willing to designate these 6 spaces as employee parking only, further limiting the amount of movement in and out of

The cooperation of the York Manor residents and Association has been greatly appreciated throughout this process, and no matter what your decision on this last remaining issue, my client looks forward to a long and cordial relationship with them.

cc: John A. Austin, Esquire TOIDCCSI/RAH01/0020220.01

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Robert A. Hoffman

March 27, 1996

<u>VIA HAND DELIVERY</u>

Mr. Timothy M. Kotroco Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Old Courthouse Suite 113 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

> Re: Deputy Zoning Commissioner Case No. 96-193-SPHXA National Tire Warehouse, Petitioner

Dear Tim:

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW

Enclosed is a copy of a revised site plan which complies with your Order and amended Order in the referenced case. You should note that several things have been modified on the plan. First, the "additional" parking area to the rear of the site has been removed. Second, the double row of Leland Cypress is shown along the southern property line. (Please note that the plan does not show the extent of landscaping that will be required on the rest of the site to comply with the Baltimore County Landscape Manual.) Third, the Office of Planning's approval of the dumpster location is shown enlarged at the top center of the site plan. Fourth, a slight adjustment to the entrance/drive has resulted in one additional parking space in the BL zone.

I ask that you please initial the plan and include it as part of the permanent case file. Thank you for your consideration.

cc: John Austin, Esquire (w/enclosure) TO1DOCS1/RAH01/0022112.01

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> Robert A. Hoffman (410) 494-6262

February 13, 1996

VIA HAND DELIVERY

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW

Timothy M. Kotroco, Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Old Courthouse, Suite 113 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

> Re: Petition for Special Exception and Variance Case No.: 96-193SPHXA

Dear Mr. Kotroco:

600 WASHINGTON AVE., SUITE 203

Timothy M. Kotroco, Deputy Zoning

Commissioner for Baltimore County

site plan that accompanied that letter.

Old Courthouse Suite 113

400 Washington Avenue

Dear Mr. Kotroco:

Towson, Maryland 21204

TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

After much discussion with John Austin of the York Manor Community Association, I am pleased to enclose a copy of a site plan that modifies Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1. Specifically, the proposed NTW facility is relocated farther to the north which gives additional room for the double row of planting on the south. Also, additional parking is provided on the south and the east and the dumpster has been necessarily relocated to the northeast corner of the site.

As mentioned at the hearing, the relocation of the building to the north would necessitate, in our opinion, an additional row of parking to the rear (east) of the site. At John's community board meeting, there was a great deal of concern over these parking spaces and a fear that these spaces may be utilized for some other purpose in the future. Accordingly, NTW has removed three of the additional parking spaces and would agree to a restriction in your Order that the remaining easternmost parking spaces can only be utilized for the NTW facility and no other purpose.

This revised site plan and the proposal for this additional restriction in your Order is over and above those restrictions agreed to at the hearing some months ago.

The site plan enclosed will be replaced shortly with a Plan that includes all the detail required for

JOHN A. AUSTIN

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW

Re: Petition for Special Exception and Variance COMMISSIONER

I am writing to you on behalf of the York Manor Improvement

It is correct that following the last hearing before you

Association regarding the above-referenced application that is

submitted on behalf of National Tire Warehouse by and through their

counsel, Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. Specifically, I am responding

to the letter of February 13, 1996 to you from Mr. Hoffman and the

concerning this issue that Mr. Hoffman's clients have made several

significant changes at the request of the Association and these

however, continues to have a concern over the necessity for having

the last row of parking spaces that has been indicated on this new

plan. This row of parking spaces was not indicated on the plan

that was submitted at the time of the original hearing, but is a development that has been included since that time. In his letter

and on the site plan itself, Mr. Hoffman indicates that NTW would

be willing to reduce the number of spaces along the back row from

9 to 6, including a space for the dumpster. By my count, this

would give NTW a total of 57 parking spaces, including the nine

parking spaces in the interior of the building as indicated on the original plan. That original plan showed that 38 spaces were

required for this site and that plan, which did not include the

final row of parking spaces, had a total of 52 parking spaces. The present plan now calls for a total of 57 parking spaces, including the 9 interior spaces. Even without the final row of 6 additional parking spaces, the site would still have 51 available parking

immediately adjacent to the property, would request that this

additional row of 6 parking spaces not be approved. Both the Association and the adjoining neighbors are concerned about the

expansion of commercial development in to what were formerly quiet

The Association, and the York Manor residents who live most

spaces, only 1 less then they originally requested.

changes are incorporated in the new site plan. The Association,

Case No.: 96-193SPHXA - National Tire Warehouse

February 20, 1996

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Timothy M. Kotroco February 13, 1996

Thank you for your patience and consideration.

RAH/pmp Enclosure

cc: John A. Austin, Esquire Mr. Theodore D. Britt Mr. David Lawrence

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Timothy M. Kotroco, Deputy Zoning Commissioner February 20, 1996

residential areas. The York Road corridor is an area of intense commercial development that, at present, is confined to a narrowly restricted area along York Road, which, on this property, is represented by the current BL zoning line. The Association and the adjoining neighbors are concerned that any expansion into areas currently zoned residential be of a limited nature. Because this last row of parking spaces represents an unnecessary extension of the parking area that is not needed for the business itself, we would ask that the plan be approved only if this last row is eliminated. While we are appreciative of NTW's willingness to restrict the use of those parking spaces only for their facility, a much more definitive resolution of the issue is simply to eliminate the spaces. Given the proposed use of the site, which would be limited to tire sales and installation, and "ride related repairs", it is difficult to imagine that normal day in and day out flow of customers to and from this property would exceed 51 parking spaces. For this reason, as well as the others presented previously, we would ask that the plan be approved without the eastern most row of parking spaces.

JAA/afg

cc: Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire